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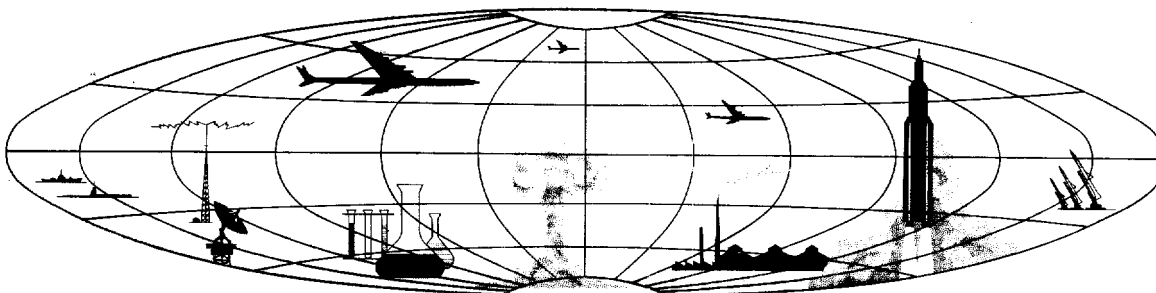
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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSIONS 3171 AND 3172, DATED 17 NOVEMBER 1962. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1A

SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1 2243N 08001W

SEVEN TENTS AND APPROXIMATELY 15 PROBABLE VEHICLES VISIBLE WITHIN AREA. OBLIQUE COVERAGE PRECLUDES DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

LA SIERRA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2156N 08019W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

25X1D

CAIBARIEN SAM SITE 2228N 07929W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE
OBLIQUITY AND SMALL SCALE PRECLUDE A DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

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CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE 2202N 08024W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE [REDACTED]

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CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2236N 08005W

NO ACTIVITY OR VEHICLES NOTED.

25X1D

CASILDA, MISSILE EQUIPMENT AREA 2146N 07958W

FIVE LARGE TENTS AND 4 POSSIBLE SMALL TENTS NOTED. UNIDENTIFIED OBJECTS, POSSIBLY PIECES OF EQUIPMENT, ALSO OBSERVED.

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LAS VILLAS PROVINCE AREA SEARCH 2200N 07943W

NO MISSILE ACTIVITY NOTED.

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SALAMANCA (REMEDIOS AREA) SUSP SSM ACTIVITY 2227N 07940W [REDACTED]

SMALL SCALE AND OBLIQUITY PRECLUDE A COMPLETE SEARCH OF THE AREA. NO MISSILE ACTIVITY NOTED.

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-AIRFIELDS-

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W [REDACTED]

25X1A

TWENTY-NINE AIRCRAFT VISIBLE, AS FOLLOWS --
10 FISHBED, 2 PROBABLE FISHBED, 14 FAGOT, ONE
HOUND, ONE CAB, AND ONE LIAISON. SCATTERED CLOUDS
PRECLUDE COMPLETE COUNT.

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CAYO LARGO AIRFIELD 2137N 08133W

AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.
NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE

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JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08025W

25X1D

ONE LIAISON AIRCRAFT AT CONTROL TOWER.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

25X1D

TRINIDAD AIRFIELD 2147N 07959W

AIRCRAFT -- NONE VISIBLE.
NO CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

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-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2221N 07957W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE
SMALL SCALE PRECLUDES A COMPLETE INTERPRETATION.

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SANTA CLARA AREA, MOTOR POOL 2224N 07953W

NO VEHICLES OBSERVED. SMALL SCALE PRECLUDES A
COMPLETE INTERPRETATION.

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-PORTS-

CAIBARIEN PORT 2232N 07928W

NO LARGE VESSELS NOTED. SMALL SCALE AND OBLIQUITY
PRECLUDE A DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

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CARDENAS PORT 2302N 08112W

NO SHIPS VISIBLE ON FAR OBLIQUE PHOTOGRAPHY.

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CASILDA PORT 2145N 07959W

25X1D

VESSELS -- NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

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CAYO LARGO, SUSPECT SUB BASE 2138N 08134W

NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE
PORTIONS. AREA IS 90 PERCENT CLOUD COVERED.

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CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

VESSELS -- 3 FREIGHTERS AT ANCHOR, ONE TANKER
AND ONE FREIGHTER AT PIER, 2 PT AND 2 SMALL
UNIDENTIFIED VESSELS AT NAVAL BASE, 2 PT TIED UP AT
EAST SIDE OF HARBOR ENTRANCE, AND 4 LIGHTERS AT PIER.

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ZAPATA PENINSULA, SUSPECT SUB BASE 2215N 08130W

NO INDICATION OF SUB BASE OBSERVED.

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-MISCELLANEOUS-

LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION 2208N 08004W 25X1D

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE

25X1D

MANICARAGUA AREA, STORAGE AREA 2206N 07958W

25X1D

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE
SCATTERED CLOUDS PRECLUDE COMPLETE INTERPRETATION
OF FACILITY.

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SAN RICARDO, POL STORAGE U/C 2223N 07951W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE
SCATTERED CLOUDS PRECLUDE A COMPLETE INTERPRETATION
OF FACILITY.

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THE FOLLOWING INSTALLATIONS/AREAS COULD BE IDENTIFIED
ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY, BUT COULD NOT BE INTERPRETED
BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS AND/OR EXTREME
OBLIQUITY --

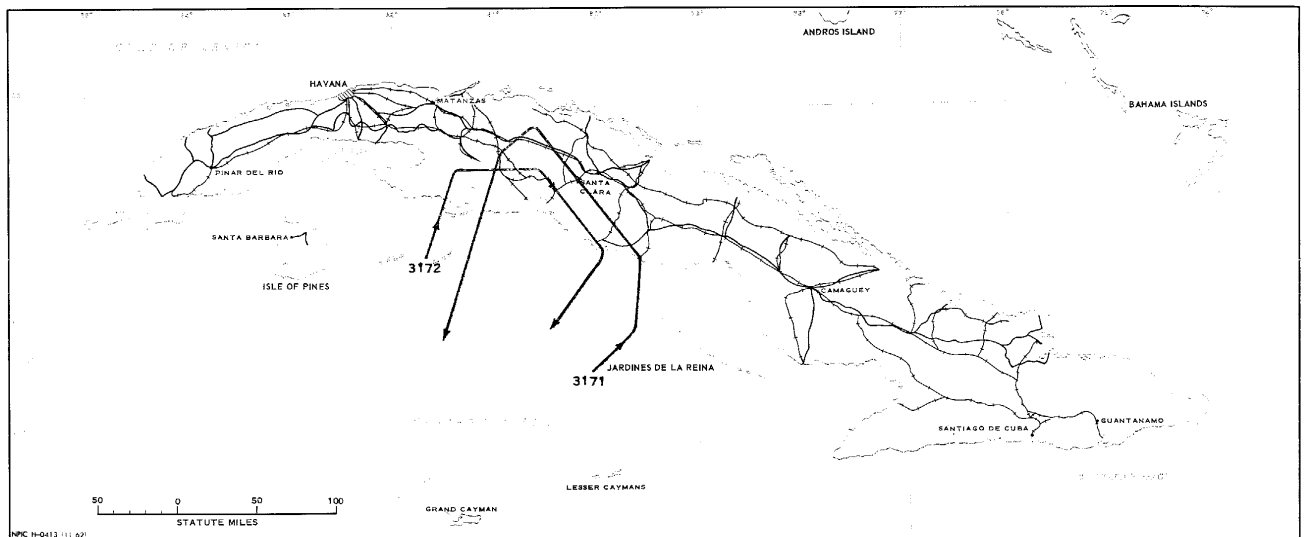
BARTOLOME (REMEDIOS AREA) SUSPECT SSM ACTIVITY
CIENFUEGOS BEACH
DELEITE SAM SITE
LA ISABELA PORT
REMEDIOS IRBM SITE
REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP
SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2
SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE

NO CAVES WERE OBSERVED.

THERE ARE NO OTHER SIGNIFICANT ITEMS TO REPORT.

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